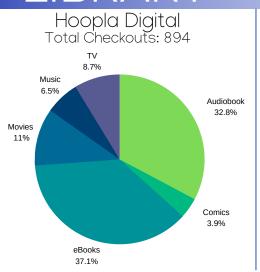
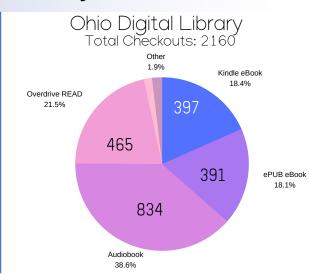


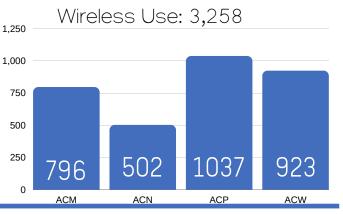
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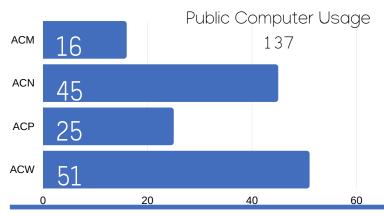
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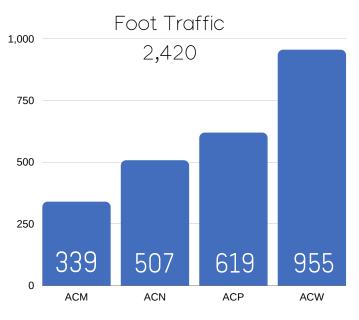


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January has been a month that tested my patience due to technical problems. We had problems regarding the failure of our Firewall, and it caused problems throughout all of our local libraries. Our Firewall protects the library from malicious outside activity, but it also sets all the allowed rules within the network. Once it went down, I basically had to start from scratch in setting up our network again. Due to this failure, nothing was working properly, including Wi-Fi, patron computers, phones, and our staff network. After several days and hours of troubleshooting, everything is back to normal and working properly. Although when something like this happens, kinks will need to be worked out as problems arise. It was a trying month for sure, but I feel like I gained a lot of valuble insight on how our network functions and how to mitigate similar problems down the road.